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Inspection Division was originally set up in 1947 as a combined Inspection and Audit Division with each function operating as a separate branch. The branches were made into separate divisions late in 1948. Thereafter, during the early part of 1951, the audit function was removed from I&SO and made an independent activity reporting directly to the DDA. Inspection continued as a major division of I&SO.

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2. The original concept of the Inspection Division was similar to that of an "Inspector General" with inspection functions encompassing special inspections and investigations of CIA activities as specifically directed by the DCT: regular fixed and presents auditor continuous

directed by the DCI; regular fiscal and property audits; continuous inspection of the utilization, maintenance, accountability for and dis-

position of CIA property, equipment and supplies, to include evaluation

of the procurement program; general inspections of all installations as durated

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Special Operations, unless specifically directed by the Director and in the case of the latter to be limited to matters pertaining to administration, personnel, communications, security and other supporting services. Included in the original concept of the responsibilities of the Inspection Division were the functions of continuously ascertaining the effectiveness of the results of CIA collection and production operations, and other CIA central operations, through contact with using agencies, and making recommendations for the improvement of such operations. This last-

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mentioned function was never implemented and was withdrawn as a responsibility of I&SO in 1948.

- 3. The concept of the Inspection Division has more recently been that of an inspection staff to perform special inspections of matters in CTA where special security problems exist; to support operations with security guidance as required; to make continuing security inspections of selected activities as directed; to perform special services as directed; and to serve as the "Inspector General" for the Security Officer, CTA, within I&SO.
- 3. The Inspection Division has performed eight major inspections or other activities in foreign countries during the past 4 years.
- During its existence the Inspection Division has performed numerous regular and special inspections and services in the United States.
- Among the more important special services which have been performed by the Inspection Division are:
 - a. Planning and conducting a program of indoctrination and training during the period of 36 foreign police officers in groups of six throughout the
 - b. Planning and supervising a course of indoctrination and training for investigator and security officer recruits in 1951, during which time six 3-weeks courses were conducted.
 - c. The continuing supervision of security aspects of classified contract procurement, including the inspection of contractor facilities and monitoring the security clearance of their personnel.

7. The T/O of the Inspection Division has always been maintained at a minimum figure of with the addi-

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tion of one stenographer during the first half of 1951. Special inspections or assignments have been accomplished when necessary with personnel loaned from other divisions or offices or specially employed on a project basis.